Remarks

I. <u>Claim Objections</u>:

At page 2, item 2 of the Office Action, claim 18 is objected to because of an informality. The Examiner suggests that the term—each—be inserted before "hinge" in line 3 since a plurality of hinges was previously recited. In response to the Examiner's suggestion, claim 18 has been amended to provide strict antecedent basis for each of "the at least two telescopic hinges" recited in claim 12.

II. Allowable Subject Matter:

At page 6, item 5 of the Office Action, claims 15-16 and 18 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

Claims 1-11 have been canceled.

The limitations of claims 13-15 have been included in claim 12, and claims 13-15 have been canceled. Claims 16-18 depend from claim 12.

Claims 19-29 have been canceled.

III. Additional Fees:

It is not believed that additional fees are due at this time; however, if any additional fee is required in connection with the filing of this Amendment, please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 08-2025.

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